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VIRGINIA GAZETTE.

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

From Thurſday November 14, to Thurſday [illegible]

HANOVER, *August* 26. O. S.

THERE was Yeſterday a grand Conference, at which all the Foreign Miniſters were preſent. It was opened by [illegible], and laſted ſeveral Hours. After it was over, there followed a private Conference, directed by Lord Harrington; at which we ſuppoſe the Treaty of Subſidy with Bavaria was concluded; in which however we are neither wrong nor right, ſince the principal Points were then ſettled; the Treaty is not yet ſigned, but it will be before the King's Departure. By this Means, 12,000 Bavarians are to enter into Britiſh Pay; and are to ſerve, without Exception, where ever his Majeſty thinks fit. All the Miniſters and Grandees here, come to a Reſolution of ſetting out one after another for Holland, that the Relays of Poſt Horſes may the more eaſily be adjuſted. One of the Grooms that attended Prince Frederick of Heſſe, who ſet out from hence the Night before laſt, met with a Misfortune that proved fatal to him; for coming back again, his Horſe threw him, fell over him, and with the Peak of the Saddle bruiſed him ſo in the Breaſt, that he died upon the Spot.

It ſeems the Court of Spain is ſo highly irritated at the Elector of Bavaria's having made a ſeparate Peace, that the Marquiſs de Villarias told Count Thoring, That ſince his Maſter had quitted his Alliance with the Houſe of Bourbon, in Order to attach himſelf to, and endeavour to aggrandize the capital Family Enemy they have, he could not help telling his Excellency, that he believed it would be highly acceptable to their Catholick Majeſties if he retired as ſoon as poſſible out of their Dominions.

A certain foreign Miniſter at the Hague, lately receiv'd a Letter from Paris, dated the 24th of Auguſt, of which the following is an Extract.

'About the Middle of this Month M. Van Hoey, Ambaſſador from the States General at this Court, wrote a 'Letter to their High Mightineſſes, his Maſters, to inform them, that according to Letters from the Army 'of his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty it appear'd, that it would 'not be long before the King return'd; and what confirm'd this Opinion, was the Preparations for Rejoicing 'on that Occaſion which were making at Paris; and that 'it was natural to think, that in the Ordonance which 'ſhould be publiſh'd for ſhewing theſe Demonſtrations 'of Joy, Mention would be made of the Succeſs of the 'French Arms this Campaign. He, the Ambaſſador, 'took the Liberty to ask their High Mightineſſes, in the 'moſt humble Manner, how he was to conduct himſelf 'in a Caſe of this Nature? The following is the States 'General's Anſwer to the Enquiry of that Miniſter: "That their High Mightineſſes were extremely ſurpriz'd "at being ask'd a Queſtion of ſo odd a Nature: That "no good Subject, or even Friend of the Republick, "could rejoice at the Succeſs of the French Arms in the "Low Countries, nor even ſee this Progreſs with an Eye "of Indifference; but that all thoſe who have any Intereſt in the Preſervation and Proſperity of the State, "muſt be ſenſibly affected with it; that conſequently he "muſt avoid ſhewing any Demonſtrations of Joy upon "this Occaſion: That unleſs he exactly obſerved theſe "Inſtructions, he would infallibly draw upon himſelf the "Diſpleaſure of their High Mightineſſes, which could [illegible] "not fail of [illegible] "to what [illegible] "made to [illegible] "promoting himſelf on this Occaſion, by making Uſe "of abject Language."

Edinburg, June 18. On Thurſday laſt a Vagrant that counterfeited himſelf a Son of the Chevalier de St. George, was apprehended and impriſon'd in Selkirk Jail.

Extract of a Letter from Selkirk.

'The Fellow who was apprehended here, having been 'examined by the Juſtices, under the Name of David 'Hay, proves now to be one David Gillis, Son to John 'Gillis in Pitleſſie-Mill in Fiſe Shire. He had ſerved a 'Noble Earl in that Shire, whom he has tricked, as he 'has done ſeveral others, and for which he had been impriſoned. There were found on him many Letters in 'Cyphers, with two Bills of 60,000 l. each, upon two 'People of London; alſo ſeveral Letters writ by him, 'and ſubſcribed *Ch. Stuart*, which he acknowledged; 'all which we have ſent to Edinburgh for Advice. He 'had been in this Country twelve Years ago, under the 'Name of Melvil, a Limner. He and his Aſſociates 'are cloſely confined.'

Edinburgh, June 24. As we hear, the counterfeit young Chevalier de St. George has [illegible] his Favours in Promotions Civil, Military, and Eccleſiaſtical; a Liſt will be ſoon publiſh'd; that the Publick may know the due Honour theſe Gentlemen are ſo worthy to receive.

The following is a Liſt of the Field Officers, Captains, and Subalterns, in the Highland Regiment of Foot Guards to be raiſed, viz.

Earl of Loudoun, Colonel; John Campbell, Eſq; Member of Parliament for Glaſgow, &c. Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captains. The Hon. John Murray, Eſq; Son to the Lord George Murray, Alexander Mac Kay, Eſq; Son to the Right Hon. Lord Rae, Alexander Livingſton Campbell, Son to Sir James Livingſton, Colin Campbell, Eſq; a Lieutenant of Marines, —— Mac Leod, Eſq; Son to Mac Leod of That Ilk, Henry Monro, Eſq; Son to Sir Robert Monro, Lord Charles Gordon, Brother to the Duke of Gordon, John Stewart, Eſq; Brother to the Right Hon. the Earl of Murray, —— Mac Pherſon of Clunie, Chieftain of the Clan, John Sutherland of Forſe.

Archibald Mac Nab, Captain Lieutenant, Brother to the Laird of Mac Nab.

Lieutenants. Colin Campbell, of Kilberry, Eſq; Henry Mac Lean, John Campbell, of Strabar, Alexander Robinſon, Baron Reid, ——Grant of Rothemurcus, Duncan Robinſon, Son to Drumſhachin, —— Campbell, of Auchallader, Donald Mac Donald, —— Mac Pherſon, of Killyhuntly, John Campbell, Alexander Campbell, ——Mac Donald, of Lochgarie, — Campbell.

Enſigns. James Stuart, Son to Urrard, John Martin, George Monro of Navar, Malcolm Roſs younger of Pitcalny, —— Mac Kay, Ja. Fraſer, David Spalding of Auchbintilly, Duncan Campbell, Donald Mac Neil, Alexander Mac Leggan, Robert Baillet, — Grant younger of Dalrachne.

The Rev. Mr. Alexander Hume, Brother to the Earl of Hume, Chaplain; Hugh Hunter Surgeon in Edinburgh, Surgeon.

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The Commiſſions of the Subalterns bear Date the 8th of June, 1745.

BOSTON, September 9.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Mansfield, in the Colony of Connecticut, dated Auguſt 12, 1745.

"Yeſterday was Se'ennight, *viz.* the 4th Inſtant, we had a moſt terrible Hurricane here, the like never known to have been in New-England by the oldeſt Perſons among us; many of whom have lived in different Parts of the Land, and ſeen moſt of the Hurricanes that have happened in this Country for 50 Years paſt. It began about 50 Minutes after 12 at Noon; it had been a cloudy Morning, and a Thunder Storm came up, which was as violent as any one I have known here this Summer; but it ceaſed thundering as ſoon as the Hurricane began, and thundered no more, though the Clouds were as thick to Appearance as before, for ſeveral Hours. The Courſe of the Hurricane was from the S. W. to the N. E. the Extent of it in Width about 30 Rods, though there was a very ſtrong Wind double that Width and more; the Continuance of it from Beginning to End was about a quarter of an Hour, but in its Height and Extremity not above 4 Minutes; and had it continued in its Extremity but one Minute longer, I queſtion whether a Tree or Fence or Buſh, not to ſay a Building, would have ſtood it, for it mov'd in its Courſe forward, as I apprehend, at leaſt 32 Feet a Second. It was not a ſteady Wind but came in the Form of a Whirlwind, and in two Veins I think by the beſt Obſervation I have been able to make; and where ever it took, it carried all before it, whether Trees or Buildings or Fences or Corn: Part of one Side of our Meeting Houſe from the S. W. Corner of the Pulpit was taken off clear and broke in Pieces, and the oppoſite Side burſt off 8 or 9 Inches from the Place; a Barn ſtanding juſt below it, which was reckon'd one of the ſtrongeſt built in the Town, was daſh'd all to Pieces. Part of the Roof of our Barn, and a conſiderable Part of the Roof of the Houſe was taken off, and the Rafters disjointed; the N. and E. Ends both have been taken off from the Plates, and a ſmall Building belonging to the Houſe taken up from it's Place, and carried about a Rod and daſh'd to Pieces, beſides a vaſt deal of Fence blown down. Another Barn about a Mile and a half off, N. W. from us, was taken up and carried away to ſome Diſtance, and broke after the ſame Manner. It alſo damaged ſeveral other Buildings, and tore up 60 Trees in one Orchard; and in our little Orchard by the Houſe, about half our Trees were torn up by the Roots, beſide the Damage others received by having Limbs broke off, *&c.* —— It is ſurprizing to go into the Woods, and ſee what Havock it made there among the Timber; I ſuppoſe ſome Thouſands of Trees are blown up by the Roots, or otherwiſe deſtroyed by the Force thereof. It's Courſe ſeemed to be towards Boſton from us; but whether it reach'd ſo far, or turned it's Courſe, I have not learnt: But what is exceeding remarkable is, that there was no Life loſt, nor any Perſon hurt; and this, though there were ſeveral Scores of People in our Meeting-Houſe when the Side blew off, and many others about in the neighbouring Houſes, it being the Time of Intermiſſion of divine Service: And but juſt before the Barn firſt mentioned, by the Meeting Houſe, was blown down, there was a conſiderable Number of young Perſons in it, ſo that at firſt it was ſuppoſed that ſeveral were killed thereby; but being afraid to continue there when they heard the Wind roar at a Diſtance, and began to blow hard there, they moved out and went to a neighbouring Houſe, which had like to have been blown down too. During this Time it rained exceeding hard, *&c.*"

A Copy of a Letter written to the Soldiers that were in the Army at Narraganſett 1675; *and now publiſhed for the Benefit of ſuch who are bound on the Expedition at Cape Breton.*

WANT of Time to write to you ſeverally, and the Relation that I ſtand in towards yourſelves, in the Military Company, moves me to make bold to include you all in theſe few Lines, to ſignify to you, that my Heart is with thoſe that offer themſelves willingly to the Service of God, and his People, in the preſent Expedition. I know you meet with many Hardſhips, but I take it as a principal Part of good Soldiers Skill to endure Hardſhip well.

Therefore with this Reſolution;	*Stand to your Arms.*
And then put on the whole Armour of God, the Breaſt Plate, the Sword, the Girdle, the Shoes, the Shield, the Helmet: And thus——	*Handle your Arms.*
And then be compos'd Readineſs upon all Aſſaults, to put this Armour in practical Readineſs,—And thus——	*Order your Arms.*
And then with [illegible] Hands lifted up to Heaven for divine Aſſiſtance; — And thus,——	*Poize your Arms.*
And then in Senſe of your own Weakneſs to bear, rely on God's Strength to enable you; —And thus,——	*Shoulder your Arms.*
And then let your Eye look unto Jeſus in every Step of your Progreſs,—And thus,——	*March.*
And in circumſpect Watch, your Loins gird up to a holy Converſation, and Heart fix'd by Faith in God's Covenant, and prepar'd to every good Work, —And thus,——	*Make ready.*
And then with a ſingle Eye ſincerely aim at the Glory of God and good of his Church and People,—And thus,——	*Preſent.*
And then with Magnanimity, and Zeal, not to do the Work of the Lord negligently,—— And thus,——	*Give Fire.*
And then leave the Succeſs of your Endeavours, let the Lord do what ſeemeth him good.— And thus,——	*Fall off into your Places and rally.*
And ſo having fought the good Fight, keeping Faith in it's Vigour, 'til you have finiſhed your Courſe;—And then——	*Lay down your Arms, you ſhall take up the Prize.*

Which will be enough not only to make a Soldier content with his Wages, but afford him an Extaſy of Joy and Glory to all Eternity.

And now, *Brethren*, and *Fellow Soldiers*, quit you like Men, be ſtrong and of good Courage; for the Cauſe and Intereſt is GOD's, and therefore the Victory certain, and the Motion of every Shot falls exactly under the Guidance of divine Providence, without which not a Sparrow, nor a Hair of our Heads ſhall fall to the Ground. Therefore in all Dangers commit your ſelves and your Care in all Concerns unto him: Be patient in Trials; receive all as from the Hand of God; be careful, direct, and circumſpect, in commanding, or obeying, as for or from God. Watch unto Duty; and firſt againſt Sin: Then you may be ſure, the All-ſufficient GOD will watch over you for Good by Night and Day, and ſhall tread down your Enemies, and make you more than Conquerors through JESUS CHRIST our LORD.—— Which is, and while God aſſiſts, ſhall be the Prayer of him, who is your affectionate and ſympathizing Brother, Companion, and hearty Friend,

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N. B. *What is ſaid of the Author of the above mentioned Piece, is very remarkable, viz. That he is now living, and tho' upwards of 80 Years of Age, is Chaplain to the King's Forces at* Cape-Breton, *and very active,*

effect, in encouraging the Soldiers to do their Duty with Chearfulneſs, in ſo good a Cauſe.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 26.

An Addreſs was ſent, by the Synod of *Philadelphia*, to the Governor of *Virginia*, dated the 28th of *May* laſt, in the following Terms:

To the Hon. WILLIAM GOOCH, *Eſq; Lieut. Governor and Commander in Chief, in and over the Colony of* VIRGINIA, *&c. The humble Addreſs of the Synod of* PHILADELPHIA.

May it pleaſe your Honour,

THE favourable Acceptance which your Honour was pleaſed to give our former Addreſs, and the Countenance and Protection which thoſe of our Perſuaſion have met with in *Virginia*, fill us with Gratitude; and we beg Leave on this Occaſion, in all Sincerity, to expreſs the ſame. It very deeply affects us to find, that any that go from theſe Parts, and perhaps aſſume the Name of Presbyterians, ſhould be guilty of ſuch Practices, ſuch uncharitable, unchriſtian Expreſſions, as are taken Notice of, in your Honour's Charge to the Grand Jury. And in the mean Time, it gives us the greateſt Pleaſure, that we can aſſure your Honour thoſe Perſons never belonged to our Body; but are Miſſionaries ſent out by ſome, who by Reaſon of their diviſive, cenſorious and uncharitable Doctrines, and Practices, were in *May* 1741, excluded from our Synod; upon which they erected themſelves into a ſeparate Society, and have induſtriouſly ſent abroad Perſons whom we judge unqualified for that Character they aſſume, to divide and trouble the Churches: And therefore we humbly pray, that while thoſe who belong to us, and produce proper Teſtimonials, behave themſelves ſuitably, they may ſtill enjoy the Favour of your Honour's Countenance and Protection. And, praying for the Divine Bleſſing on your Perſon and Government, we beg Leave to ſubſcribe ourſelves,

May it pleaſe your Honour,

Your Honour's moſt obliged, moſt obedient, and moſt humble Servant,

Signed in the Name, and per Order of the Synod,

ROBERT CATHCART, *Moderator.*

To which Addreſs the Governor was pleaſed to return the following Anſwer:

To the very Reverend Mr. CATHCART, *Moderator, and the Reverend the Presbyters of the Presbyterian Synod of* PHILADELPHIA, *in* PENNSYLVANIA.

Gentlemen,

THE Addreſs you were pleaſed to ſend me, as a grateful Acknowledgement for the Favour, which Teachers of your Perſuaſion, met with in *Virginia*, was very acceptable to me, but altogether needleſs to a Perſon in my Station; becauſe it is what by Law they are entitled to.

And in Anſwer to your preſent Addreſs, intended to juſtify yourſelves and Members from being concerned in a late Outrage committed againſt the Purity of the Worſhip, and the ſacred Appointment of Paſtors for the Service of the Altar of the eſtabliſhed Church, which ſome Men, calling themſelves Miniſters, were juſtly accuſed of in my Charge to the Grand Jury, you muſt ſuffer me to ſay, that it very nearly affects me; becauſe it ſeems to inſinuate, as if I was ſo uncharitable, as to ſuſpect Men of your Education and Profeſſion could be guilty of unchriſtian Expreſſions, that can only attend to the Increaſe of Schiſm and Irreligion; which, I give you my Word, was far from my Thoughts.

As the wicked and deſtructive Doctrine and Practice of Itinerant Preachers, ought to be oppoſed and ſuppreſſed, by all that have a ſerious Concern for Religion, and a juſt Regard to publick Peace and Order in Church and State; ſo your Miſſionaries, producing proper Teſtimonials, complying with the Laws, and performing Divine Service in ſome certain Place appropriated to that Purpoſe, without diſturbing the Quiet and Unity of our ſacred and civil Eſtabliſhments, may be ſure of the Protection of,

Reverend Sirs,

Your moſt humble Servant,

WILLIAM GOOCH.

Williamsburg, June 20, 1745.

WILLIAMSBURG, Nov. 21.

By Capt. *Kelſick*, who is arriv'd in *Rappahanock*, from *Whitehaven*, we have Advice, That the Grand Duke of *Tuſcany* is elected Emperor of *Germany*; and that there were great Rejoicings in many Parts of *England*, on that Occaſion. Capt. *Kelſick* alſo ſays, the *Dutch* Forces, which were order'd over to *England*, were arriv'd, before he came away.

The following is a Poſtſcript of a Letter, which a Gentleman receiv'd here Yeſterday, from *New-York*:

"This Moment, as I'm going to ſeal the Letter, I am "inform'd of the Arrival of a *London* Veſſel, late laſt "Night, in Six Weeks Paſſage; by whom there is Ad- "vice, that the Grand Duke is choſen Emperor; That "a Peace is concluded between the Queen of *Hungary*, "and the King of *Pruſſia*, who has engag'd to aſſiſt "the former with 30,000 Men: And, that the *Venetians* "have join'd the King of *Sardinia*," againſt the *French*, *Spaniards*, and *Genoeſe*. "If theſe Things be true, we "may ſoon expect to hear of great Alterations in the "Affairs of *Europe*."

We have alſo Advice from *New-York*, that the *Indians*, who met their Governor at *Albany*, have taken up the *Hatchet* againſt the *French* Indians; upon Condition they cannot obtain Satisfaction for the Hoſtilities committed by the *French* Indians againſt His Majeſty's Subjects in *New-England*; and required only Two Moons Time for the Purpoſe.

We hear from *Nanſemond* County, That on *Friday* laſt, died, after a few Days Sickneſs, Col. *Theophilus Pugh*, who has been many Years a very great Trader.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

WHEREAS, a looſe Bundle was ſent on board my Ship in *London* River, the Directions, *viz. To the Care of Capt. Randolph, for Mr. Wells in* Virginia: Therefore as I've given no Bill of Lading for the ſame, and the Perſon that ſhipt it is intirely unknown to me, this is to requeſt the ſaid Mr. *Wells*, to apply to Mr. *Daniel Wolſtenholm*, Mercht. in *Williamſburg*, or to me at Mr. *Richard Littlepage*'s, on *York* River; where, on deſcribing the Contents, he may have the ſaid Bundle, paying Primage, and the Charge of this Advertiſement. *Edward Randolph.*

THE Subſcriber, living in *Eſſex* County, gives this publick Notice, That he intends (God willing) to go to *England*, by the firſt convenient Opportunity in the *Spring*. *John Corbin.*

WHEREAS *Jeremiah Whitney*, a tall young Man, of a freſh Complexion, with a whitiſh Camblet Coat, lin'd with Red, a blue Cloth Jacket, a blue riding Coat, and a brown Wig, who lately liv'd in *Goochland* County, feloniouſly ſtole from Mrs. *Anne Whitney*, of *Edgcombe* County, in the Province of *Carolina*, a Negroe Wench, call'd *Manger*, but has ſince chang'd her Name to *Nan*, on the 9th Inſtant came over *Rapahoak*, and am credibly inform'd of his lurking about *Pagan*-Creek. Whoever will bring the ſaid *Whitney*, or Negroe, to the Subſcriber, ſhall have a Piſtole Reward, beſides what the Law allows. *Anne Whitney.*

RAN away from the Subſcriber, while in *Williamſburg*, laſt General Court, a Servant Man, named *Thomas Page*, by Trade a Barber and Wig-maker; he is a middle-ſiz'd, thin-bodied Fellow; When any Queſtions are aſk'd him he makes quick Anſwers, moſtly with a Smile and Bow; liv'd moſt of his Time in *London*; is very much given to Drink; had on, when he went away, a light colour'd Fuſtian Coat, Veſt and Breeches, the Breeches new, with flat, yellow Metal Buttons, Country-made Stockings, and Shoes, with Buckles in them, a white Shirt, black Silk Band, a little old brown bob Wig, an old *New-England* Beaver Hat, much wore, loſt its Colour; he ſtruts and ſwaggers very much in his Walk, and had an old Caſe with 3 very good Razors in it. Whoever takes up the ſaid Servant, and delivers him to a Conſtable, on a Certificate from any Juſtice of Peace of his being in Cuſtody, ſhall have a Piſtole Reward, beſides what the Law allows, paid by Mr. *James Croſbie*, Mercht. in *Williamſburg*, or the Subſcriber, at *Cherry*-Point, in *Northumberland* County. *William Tate.*

THE Subſcriber, who lives near *Williamſburg*, cloſe on the Road, from Mr. *Fornaux*'s to Town, and who has for many Years entertain'd Travellers with Accommodations for themſelves and Horſes, to Satisfaction, hereby gives Notice, That for the future, all ſuch as come to his Houſe, ſhall be accommodated cheaper than has been hitherto done by himſelf, or any others who have publiſh'd themſelves in Oppoſition to him, *viz.* Twenty Pence for Man and Horſe, for Twenty Four Hours; which is as reaſonable as can poſſibly be expected, or afforded. *John Crawley.*

Virginia. At a General Court, held at the *Capitol*, *October* 31, 1745.

THE Clerk of this Court praying, that the Court would be pleased to direct him in what Cases he ought to iſſue Executions againſt Lands, and Real Eſtate, according to the Meaning of the Act of Parliament, made in the Fifth Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, entituled, "An Act, "for the more eaſy Recovery of Debts, in His Majeſty's Plantations, and "Colonies, in *America*;" upon Judgments obtained here: This Court, upon mature Deliberation, doth Order, That he do not iſſue any ſuch Executions, unleſs upon Judgments obtained by Perſons reſiding in *Great-Britain*; agreeable to former Directions given him. By the Court.

Benjamin Waller.

TO be Sold, at a Place call'd *Warreſk*, near *Broadwater*-Bridge, in *Iſle of Wight* County, on *Friday* the 6th Day of *December* next, 16 choice, young *Virginia*-born Slaves, belonging to the Eſtate of Mr. *Joſeph Allen*, Gent. deceas'd. Six Months will be allowed, giving good Security, as uſual.

Edwin Daingerfield.

TO be Sold, for ready Money, or Six Months Credit, a Plantation, lying on *Pagan*-Creek, in *Iſle of Wight* County, containing 300 Acres of good Land, well ſituated, and in very convenient for Trade. Enquire of Capt. *John Thomſon*, in *Glouceſter*, or Mr. *Joſeph Baker*, at the *Indian* Queen, in the *Iſle of Wight*.

Urbanna, Nov. 12, 1745.

TO be Sold, at a reaſonable Rate, a convenient large *Dwelling-houſe*, with neceſſary *Out-houſes*, four *Lots* incloſed, with a large *Garden*, containing many uſeful and curious *Plants* and *Herbs*, belonging to Dr. *John Mitchell* in *Urbanna*; alſo his *Houſhold-Furniture*, a *Negroe* Man, and ſundry other *Goods*; the Furniture and proper *Utenſils* of an *Apothecary*'s Shop, and a ſmall chimical *Laboratory*, (which are moſtly new) with ſundry *Drugs* and *Medicines*; likewiſe a choice Collection of *Books*, both ancient and modern, in ſeveral Languages, chiefly conſiſting of the moſt approved Authors, in the ſeveral Branches of *Medicine*, *Natural Hiſtory*, and *Philoſophy*. Any Perſon may have the whole Collection at prime Coſt, or Value of the Books in *England*.

This is likewiſe to give Notice, That the ſaid *John Mitchell* intends to go to *England*, by the firſt convenient Opportunity; and deſires all Perſons who have any *Claims* againſt him, to let him know them, that they may be diſcharged: And that all thoſe who are *indebted* to him, are deſired hereby to pay their reſpective *Debts*, as ſoon as they poſſibly can; which if they do not do, in a reaſonable *ſhort Time*, or give proper *Securities*, they muſt expect to be ſued for them very ſoon. He does not any longer practiſe Phyſick.

John Mitchell.

N. B. The above Things will be Sold at my Houſe, on the ſecond *Tueſday* in *December* next. The *Houſes*, *Books*, *Medicines*, *Shop*, *&c.* may be bought at any *Time*; to be delivered, on my Removal.

Maryland, to wit, } LAtely brought into *Briton*'s Bay, in *Potomack* River,
October 25, 1745. } within this Province, by *John Bibby*, Mariner, Maſter of the Ship *William and Betty*, from *Liverpool*, a Brigantine, Burthen about 70 Tons, having on board a large Quantity of Sugar, Rum, and Ginger, which are ſuppoſed to belong to *Britiſh* Owners, and to be of the Growth of the Iſland of *Barbados*; which Veſſel, and the Goods brought in her, are condemned in the Court of Vice-Admiralty here, and ſentenced to be ſold, by the Subſcriber, to the beſt Bidder.

The ſaid Veſſel is ſuppoſed to have been built in *New-England*; there were brought in her, 50 odd Hogſheads of Sugar, which were full; and ſeveral of them had on their Heads, wrote in Chalk, *Doviſon*. There was one Caſk, containing 30 Dozen and a half of Cloaths-Bruſhes, in which was alſo found an Invoice, wrote in *Engliſh*, mentioning the Contents. All the Sugar in the Ground-Tier, being upwards of 50 Hhds. was quite loſt.

Theſe are to give Notice, that the ſaid Brigantine, with all her Guns, Tackle, Apparel and Furniture; and her Lading, conſiſting of upwards of 60,000 Weight of exceeding good clean Sugar, of ſeveral Sorts, ſuch as is ſent from the *Britiſh* Iſlands to *England*; with 12 Hhds. and 1 Tierce of Rum, a large Quantity of Ginger, ſome Wood uſed by Dyers called Fuſtick, the Cloaths-Bruſhes aforeſaid, ſome Hogſhead-Staves, and Pitch, will be expoſed to public Sale at *Leonard*'s Town, in *St. Mary*'s County, in *Maryland*, on *Tueſday* the 10th Day of *December* next; and will be diſpoſed of for Current Money of this Province, good Bills of Exchange payable in *London*, or Gold or Silver, by

Philip Key.

Stafford, Sept. 3, 1745.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, about the 20th of *July* laſt, a Negroe Man, named *Joe*, (who formerly belonged and was Coachman to Mr. *Belfield*, of *Richmond* County) he was for ſome Time after he firſt ran away, lurking about the Widow *Belfield*'s Plantation, and was outlaw'd in *Richmond* County, but is ſuppoſed to be lately removed up to *Orange*: He is a ſhort, well-ſet Fellow, about 26 Years of Age, and took with him ſeveral Cloaths, among the reſt a Suit of Blue, lined and faced with Red, with white Metal Buttons. Whoever will ſecure and bring home the ſaid Negroe, ſhall receive Two Piſtoles Reward, beſides what the Law allows: And as I have great Reaſon to believe, that he is privately encouraged to run away, and then harboured and concealed, that I may be induced to ſell him, having had ſeveral Offers made me for him ſince he went off: I hereby promiſe, that if any One will diſcover where he has been harboured and concealed, ſo that the Perſon or Perſons ſo harbouring him may be thereof convicted, I will pay to ſuch Diſcoverer Ten Piſtoles upon the Conviction. This being the third Trip he has made ſince I bought him in *January* laſt, I deſire he may receive ſuch Correction in his Way home as the Law directs, when apprehended. And I take this Opportunity to give public Notice, That I ſhall always be willing to reward any Perſon, according to his Trouble, that ſhall take up and bring home any Negroe belonging to me, that ſhall be found abroad without a Note or other ſufficient Paſs.

John Mercer.

ALL Perſons who have had Dealings with the Hon. *Philip Lightfoot*, Eſq; are hereby deſired immediately to apply to him at his Houſe, in *York*-Town, to ſettle and cloſe their Accounts; he having declin'd Trade, and his Book-keepers removing to other Parts of the Country.

RAN away, ſome Time ſince, from the Plantation of the Hon. *Philip Lightfoot*, Eſq; at *Sandy*-Point, on *James*-River, a light-complexion'd Mulatto Man, aged about 25 Years, nam'd *Ben*; he is about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, has a down Look, a low Forehead, talks good *Engliſh*, and has been well whipp'd. Whoever brings him to me, or to my Overſeer at *Sandy*-Point, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

Philip Lightfoot.

STray'd away from *York* Town, in *October* laſt, a ſmall Roan Horſe, branded on the Buttock with I M, paces very well. Alſo a ſmall, dark Bay Mare, with a Blaze in her Face, and a ſnipt Noſe; but is neither dock'd nor branded. Whoever will bring them to Mr. *William Harwood*, in *York* Town, or to the Subſcriber, living in *Charles-City* County, ſhall have Half a Piſtole Reward, for each.

John Southall, Jun.

WHEREAS the Subſcriber was ſome Time ago moſt unjuſtly accuſed of deſtroying the Sloop *Polly*, of *New-York*, (whereof he was Commander) and carrying off a conſiderable Sum, belonging to the Owners of the ſaid Sloop; by Means of which Accuſation he was taken up as a Felon, impriſoned, and treated with a great deal of Barbarity, and has ſuffer'd greatly in his Character, as well as put to a very conſiderable Expence, by the ſaid groundleſs and illegal Proſecution: And the Perſons giving Bond to continue the Proſecution of the ſaid Charge, having ſuffer'd the Time of Proſecution to elapſe, I take this Opportunity to let them know, that I am going on a Cruiſe (againſt His Majeſty's Enemies) in the *Raleigh* Privateer, and am fully determined to proſecute, by my Attorney, all Perſons concerned in that moſt infamous and illegal Proceſs; and whatever ſhall be recover'd, I hereby bequeath, one Half thereof to my Lawyer or Lawyers, and the other Half to the Poor of *Norfolk* County.

William Morgan.

RAN away, about the Fifft Day of *June* laſt, from the Subſcriber, living on *Chickahominy* River, *James-City* County, a Negroe Man, ſhort and well-ſet, aged between 30 and 40 Years, but looks younger, having no Beard, is ſmooth-fac'd, and has ſome Scars on his Temples, being the Marks of his Country; talks pretty good *Engliſh*; is a cunning, ſubtile Fellow, and pretends to be a Doctor. It is likely, as he has a great Acquaintance, he may have procur'd a falſe Paſs. Whoever brings him to me, at my Houſe aforeſaid, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

Michael Sherman.

TO be Sold, by publick Outcry, on *Monday* the Second Day of *December* next, at the Subſcriber's Plantation, on *Mancin*, near *Spiller*'s Ordinary and *Crenſhaw*'s Mill, in *King William* County, a Parcel of Houſhold Goods, 20 choice Slaves, Men, Women and Children, a large Stock of Horſes, and black Cattle, a conſiderable Quantity of Indian Corn, and Wheat; for ready Money, or Six Months Credit, giving Security, as ſhall be agreed upon between the Purchaſers and

Peter Hay.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living in *Hanover* County, near *Newcaſtle* Town, about the End of *September* laſt, a new Negroe Man that underſtands no *Engliſh*; is about 5 Feet 12 Inches high, a right Black Fellow, with a Scar over his Right Eye-brow; had on a new Cotton Jacket and Breeches, without either Button or Button-holes, a new Felt Hat, and an Oznabrig Shirt. Whoever takes up the ſaid Negroe and brings him to me, or to Mr. *Robert Brooke*, Merchant, in *Newcaſtle*, ſhall have a good Reward, beſides what the Law allows.

Margaret Arbuthnot.

N. B. It's deſired that he may receive ſufficient Correction in his Way home.

THE Snow *John and Mary*, of *Liverpool*, Capt. *Thomas Bradley*, now lying at *Littlepage*'s Landing, in *Pamunky*, is ready to take in Tobacco to Mr. *John Hardman*, Merchant, in *Liverpool*: Such Gentlemen as are inclinable to Ship in her, are deſir'd to ſend their Notes or Orders to Mr. *John Hunter*, in *Williamſburg*, or to the Captain on board.

October 31, 1745.

STray'd or ſtolen away from the Subſcriber, in *Caroline* County, on the 3d Inſtant, a dark Bay Horſe, 5 Years old, branded on the near Buttock I S, not very plain; has a Snip on his Noſe, and ſome white Hairs in his Forehead; he paces well. Whoever brings or ſends the ſaid Horſe to me, ſhall have Two Piſtoles Reward, and if ſtolen Five Piſtoles, for the Thief, if brought to Juſtice, paid by

John Grant.

A Large Sum of Money lies ready in *Williamſburg*, to be diſpos'd of now, for Bills of Exchange, to be paid at the next General Court, for which 30 *per Cent.* will be allow'd, provided the Draughts are not under 50 *l. Sterling*. For further Information, enquire of the Printer of this Paper.

STray'd away from the Subſcriber, in *Williamſburg*, about 3 Weeks ago, Two Horſes; one of them is a middle-ſiz'd Bay Horſe, with a long Switch Tail, a bald Face, and Wall-Ey'd, his two Fore Feet White; the other a ſmall Black Horſe, with a Star in his Forehead. Whoever will bring the ſaid Horſes to me, ſhall have Half a Piſtole Reward, for each of them.

Thomas Vobe.

SUndry Negroes, Books, Cattle, Horſes, and Houſhold Goods, late the Eſtate of Major *Robert Brooke*, deceas'd, are to be ſold by Auction, at his late Dwelling-houſe, in *Eſſex*, on the firſt *Tueſday* in *December* next.

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